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# s Korean Flag Wrong On Flag Stamp?

#### Collector Proposes Souvenir Sheet Of Twelve Flag Stamps

By ENCEL H. DODGE

Here is a proposal that the Treasury department, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, issue a souvenir sheet of stamps in recognition of the stamp collectors of the nation, if for no other reason. There have been numerous printed guesses as to the number of collectors, the total ranging up to 10,000,000.

Why not a special sheet of 12 flag stamps, issued imperforate and ungummed? Every collector in the country would want and would buy at least one of the sheets at 60 cents, and figuring the number of collectors of Unital Chesses of the contract of the sheets at the contract of the contr d States stamps at a minimum of only 1,000,000 the receipts from sale of the stamps would put \$600,000 back in the govern-ment coffers, most of it clear pro-

The average American collector, however, would desire and would purchase more than one sheet. In fact many of them would sheet. In fact many of them would buy well into the hundred of sheets, figuring the expenditures as an investment, and judging by the rapid increase in the price of special sheets heretofore is-sued by the Treasury Depart-ment, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the average collector would make no mistake in laying army a number of sheets, in fact as many as he could conveniently buy.

Immediately following the close of the war there would be a tre-mendous demand for such sheets from the countries that have been bonored by the issuance of the

If such a sheet should be issued it would be the hope of the stamp collectors generally that the printing be done through the award-ing of a contract to the American Bank Note company, if the stamps were to be issued perforated. This company certainly did an excel-lent job of printing in connection with the production of the 12 flag with the production of the 12 flag stamps. The American Bank Note company has produced many stamps in three and more colors for other countries and those na-tions have been able to make a nice profit through the sale of the

The last souvenir sheet issued was the 10-cent green honoring the Society of Philatelic Americans on the occasion of the annual convention of the organization at Asheville, N. C., in August, 1937.

In 1933 the treasury department honored the American Philatelic Society with two souvenir sheets, a one-cent sheet made up of 25 stamps and a three-cent sheet made up of 25 stamps, the occasion being the annual meeting of the organization, held in Chicago in August of 1933 in August of 1933.

There is no question but that a souvenir sheet of 12 of the flag stamps, imperforate and ungummed would meet with a great demand by stamp collectors generally and with for greater prefit to ally and with far greater profit to the government than came from the sale of the two Chicago sheets even though the expense of producing the sheets would be high-

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#### \$6,200 Paid For Full Sheets '47 Reproductions In H. R. Harmer's Sale

A price of \$6,290 was paid for the set of unique sheets of the 1875 reproductions of the 5c and 10c 1847's in the rare U. S. sale held October 30, 31 and Nov. 1 by H. R. Harmer, Inc., 32 E. 57th St., New York. These sheets have been in Europe for the past 40 years, most of the time in the collection of Dr. G. J. Verburgt, The Hague. The Hague.

The also unique full sheet of 100 of the 1c 1851 was sold for \$2,200 in this auction. A reconstructed sheet of 40 of the 5c New York Postmaster's stamp brought \$1,020

\$1,020.
An off-center used copy of the 15c 1869 with inverted center went for \$320. A mint block of six of the 24c 1869 realized \$500, and a block of four of the 30c, \$750. A unique block of 15 of the 30c 1869 without grill sold for \$1.450.

Ezra Cole paid \$250 for a beautiful mint centered block of six of the 10c 1873, which catalogues \$290. A complete set of the 1895 issue imperforate and in horizon-

tal pairs sold for \$505. The total was \$29,504.

#### **New Stamp Of France** The Flood Is Coming

Last week we printed a description of one of the new Allied Military Government stamps that have been prepared for use in France, just as the issue was prepared for Italy. We referred to the illustration which did not appear. The cut had been given our printers but was apparently overlooked. ers but was apparently overlooked or mislaid. We now show an il-lustration of one of these stamps.



other new French issue which we have not yet seen pictured. This comes from Pvt. Merrill Ormes

who is in the European sector.

We have no information as to the number of values in this set, but do have also a 1.50 Franc value in brown. The stamp illustrated

above is in violet.

We are also advised that a new Philade French set is being prepared in in characteristics. England. An illustration of one of

these new stamps seen in an Algiers, Philatelic Publication leads to the belief that it will be a very beautiful set.

Word from France tells us that Petain is now a "dead duck" as far as further pictures of him on French stamps are concerned.

## Same Nazi Stamps Used In All Of

From Sgt. Melvin Schirmer, somewhere in France we have copies of a Nazi "POSTKARTE". This is a government printed Postal Card as we call them in this country. The card is printed in violet, has a stamp picturing a court yard scene with a statue in the middle, the German with a eagle with swastika in the upper left corner. At the base is the word "GENERALGOUVERNE-MENT", all one word as is the German custom with so many of the right upper corner is the fi-gure "12."

It is noted that the card does not bear the usual words "Deutches Reich" as on German stamps and it bears no name of any other country. These cards are used universally throughout different occupied countries, thus one set of cards of various denominations can apply for any territory. Rather a practical idea, to save production of different cards for production of different cards for each section, but a definite black-out of the country in which the cards are used. Naturally, the place from which used is identi-fied by the Post Mark. The card at hand was posted at Lublin in Poland, addressed to Basel, Switz-

erland.
From the same correspondent we have a pair of lerge stamps somewhat similar to stamps somewhat similar to the Hitler Birthday Stamp, SP101. These bear the figure "12" but nothing indicates whether this is for Marks of Pf. The word "Deutsches Reich" and Generalgovernment" are in two lines across the base. The stamps are purple in color. These are also evidently used in any occupied territory since this pair is canceled at "Lublin".

A stampless cover bearing the written inscription "Feldpost" and postmarked at "Wein" is also at hand. This bears a circu-

so at hand. This bears a circular handstamp with the German Eagle and Swastika.

#### 1944 Sepad Exhibition To Be December 1, 2 & 3

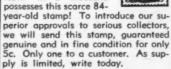
Preparations are about complete Preparations are about complete for the 1944 Sepad National Stamp Exhibition to be held in the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., December 1, 2 and 3 at the same time as the Tenth American Philatelic Congress. An entire floor of this large hotel has been engaged which will afford ample space for what is expected to be the largest display of stamps ever shown in this city; also room for bourse tables and a convention post office.

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An appropriate seal has been designed and will be on sale at the time of the show; also a new 1944 exhibition meter slogan as well as a special cancellation from the convention post office located on the exhibition floor. Information regarding each may be obtion regarding each may be obtained by writing to Mrs. Margie V. Wamsley, 1334 Stevens Street, Philadelphia 24, Pa. who will be in charge of seals, slogans and concelletions. cancellations.

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## Sources Of Information Disagree Occupied Europe On Whirligig And Chop Marks Shown On The New Korean Flag Stamps

Just as we are ready to go to press, further information which leads to the belief that the Korean Flag as pictured on the new stamps is wrong, has come to our office. The story below was written November 9th. Read it and watch for more details next week when we will publish some illustrations and more new facts concerning this possible error in picturing the Korean Flag which should be square rather than oblong and must have a definite arrangement for the design which may be wrong on the stamp now issued.

#### Hints And Suggestions To Auction Bidders

To make life a bit more pleas-nt for the Auction Dealers, I suggest:

That Bidders who have lots sent promptly after a sale, give a good credit reference or some dealer, who extends him credit. It is surprising that quite a number of new bidders in each sale give no credit information. Would any Department Store or Merchant send merchandise to an

unknown on credit?

Some references say "Any Bank or any Dealer". This is too indefinite. We do not know the names and addresses of thousands of banks in hundreds of towns and no collector has credit with every dealer. We cannot spend six cents per dealer to a dozen dealers to ascertain if he knows the party. Some say "S. P. A. or A. P. S. Member" but do not give their membership number, which is necessary for a quick check-up.

It is also advisable for the bid-

der to both print and write out his name and print his address. Some write a poor hand which the

average person cannot decipher.
Some expect credit by saying "they are a member of their local stamp club." No dealer has the membership list of hundreds of local states and the said was a said of local states and the said saying sa

cal clubs and this is seldom an acceptable reference for \$50.00 or more credit, anyhow.

The above, from M. Ohlman of New York will doubtless meet with the approval of other Auction Dealers.

## New Orleans Society Holds Successful Show

Unique and varied exhibits in arrangement and design were featured in the display of pos-tage stamps at the Friday meet-ing of The Philatelic Society of New Orleans in the Monteleone

First prize was awarded Ruben

hotel.

First prize was awarded Ruben Modern for a frame arrangement "War and Peace in Stamps." Second award went to Leonard V. Huber for pages of the 3 cent Green of 1870-1872. Third prize Miss Elvira Heitman stamps of Belgium. Special Mention L. P. E. Giffroy A to Z in Stamps, and fancy block arrangement."

Others exhibiting were C. A. Wagner Jr. "NEW ORLEANS Postmarks," Miss Mary A. Pagand, British Colonies; F. N. Billingsley "Buchanan" cover; George D. Hood U. S. First Day covers, "Win the War" series; Louis O. Rouning, Central America; Dr. Joel B. Gray "Sports" Red Cross, Zeppelins; Edgar M. Christy, Austria and Hungary. Louis O. Rouning, ica; Dr. Joel B. Gray "Sports Red Cross, Zeppelins; Edgar M. Christy, Austria and Hungary. George L. Hood

#### NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

The new elected officers of the Cleveland Air Mail Society are: R. V. Klippstein—President; Geo. H. Porter 3rd—Vice President; Gordon Matheson — Secretary; Clarence Carlson—Treasurer.

The next meeting of the CAMS is an Eriday Newsphor 24th 8 p.

is on Friday, November 24th, 8 p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Stern, 14074 Superior Rd., Cleveland Hts.

#### Korean Flag Stamp Offers Opportunity For Real Research

Receipt of First Day Covers with the new Korean Flag stamp has proved the old statement that collectors do study their stamps for a sight of the stamp brought forth the magnifying glass and a close examination.

examination.

On the other hand we had cacheted envelopes in colors, which pictured the flag but hardly gave them a second look. Now that we have the stamp, we note the flag on it and thought to compare this flag with that used on the cachets of various publishers.

The first thing we found was that no two flags agreed in arrangement of the central figure or in the arrangement of the small

in the arrangement of the small line marks in the corners of the

flag.
Certainly, there must be a right and proper arrangement for the "whirligig" pattern in the central "whirligig" pattern in the central circle as well as for the small line marks in the corners. It is of course concelvable that

the artists who made the various cachet designs may have taken a hurried glance at the flag as pic-tured in some book and dashed off their drawing which seems to be a very simple pattern, yet a-gain, there must be a right and wrong arrangement and why not

wrong arrangement and why not have it right.

Local information through the Library here is nil. A very good article is in the stamp column of James Waldo Fawcett, but this article carries no illustration of the flee but does give a very dearticle carries no illustration of the flag but does give a very de-tailed description with regard to the four corner markings. These markings as explained and as their positions are recorded do not agree with those shown on the stamp. The two markings in the upper left and lower right corners are as shown on the flag while the two in the upper right and the two in the upper right and lower left corner are transposed on the flag stamp.

on the flag stamp.

We note also in the article by
Mr. Fawcett that the colors of the
flag of Korea are red and black on
a white field. The stamp as issued
are red and blue on a white field.
We call attention to this solely
because we would wonder if the
article by Mr. Fawcett is correct
as to colors and if so, why has the

as to colors and if so, why has the Postoffice Department chosen to

change those colors.

Go to your local library or to your college library and start a little research work of your own.

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THE BOYS WERE MARCHING —At the annual meetings of APS and SPA it was decided that the two organizations would sponsor a committee working jointly for the gathering and distribution of stamps and accessories for service men wounded in action or other. men, wounded in action, or other wise, who are in hospitals. Since those meetings I have seen the names of various area chairmen names of various area chairmen who have been appointed to gather in these stamps. What I have been patiently waiting to read, and without success, have been some of the boys who are able to write so prolifically on the dot in the 1876 24c stamp of India, or the Premier Gravures, or the envelopes of the U. S. or those who have nothing else to do but sit at their typewriters all day and pick quarrels on the stationary of the 20 organizations of which they are president, secretary, or on the 11th committee from the bottom; to come out and make a strong plea for some real stamps for those boys. those boys.

those boys.

It so happens that I belong to a small organization that has privately done some distributing of stamps to these men in hospitals and I know the need for this material, so pardon me if I am an ignoramus about the finer points of philatelly, but bear with me while I tell you what the boys can use. Some of these service men and women were stamp collectors as kids and have a smattering of knowledge about stamps. Others were collectors before they entered the services and have sent

others were collectors before they entered the services and have sent for their collections. The bulk of them know nothing about stamps. For the past two years some of us have been doing war work of one kind or another. Some of us haven't. For your information, one kind or another. Some of us haven't. For your information, and no credit to myself, I have been doing essential war work, and did not get into a uniform because I hovered on the brink of the age limit. What I started out

the age limit. What I started out to say was—most of us have been making a lot of money, heaps of it. We've been working in war plants, essential jobs, etc. The stamp dealers have given generously (some of them) to the Red Cross, the USO, etc.

Now we are asked to give stamps to the boys in hospitals through organized committees. If the stamp dealers will think for a moment, they will realize that they may be interesting a lot of men and women in collecting by giving properly, so that when these boys and girls are released they will be brand new customers.

Your daily newspapers are afraid to tell you the true stories of what has gone on in these hospitals. It doesn't make for good "family" reading. But I'll tell you. While we were making all the money we have today, these boys and girls slithered through sleet, snow, rain, muck and many snow, rain, muck and many of them were killed. Some of them were torn by shrapnal, by flying bits of metal, bullets and other horrors of war. Now they are back. One or two legs gone. One arm gone. It both arms are gone, they won't need your contribution of stamps for awhile. Eyes, noses, mouths, ears and parts of heads and chests shot away. Men whose minds wander, men who are blind. Men who will never speak again, never hear again. Not a stamps for the story, eh? Maybe it snow, rain, muck and mire. Some of them were killed. Some of them IT IS OUR THEORY THAT IF WE GIVE YOU \$1.10 WORTH OF STAMPS AND SERVICE FOR STAMPS AND SERVICE FOR ISSUE THEORY THAT IF WE GIVE YOU \$1.10 WORTH OF STAMPS AND SERVICE FOR ISSUE THEORY THAT IF WE Again, never hear again. Not a pleasant story, eh? Maybe it beligium, Bi22, Koekelberg, Shouldn't be told in Linn's either. But it is, and I'll tell you why it's here. It's to tell you that when Cuba, CBI, Postage Center. here. It's to tell you that when you are approached for a contribution of stamps and accessories, I pray for your soul if you dig down and bring out the heavily cancelled items that you were going to throw away anyway. Forget that packet material from Austria and Hungary and Germany and Japan and all the rest of the Balk-

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Every dealer knows what happened to his fellow dealers in London. They were wiped out. You're in business and you're prospering. Now you get in there and you donate some very worth while, inexpensive material; clean looking, no junk, and pray to God and thank Him that you can help these boys and girls who have so

bums into eternity.

and thank Him that you can help these boys and girls who have so proudly given of themselves for the safety of you, your family and the glorious nation in which we are fortunate in living. Thank God you can give instead of having had it confiscated by some lousy nazi or Jap. Don't read this and forget it. Remember it.

I would appreciate the various committees letting me know just who the dealers are who gave junk when they were called upon. I'd like to print their names in large type, because any dealer—well, forget it. There isn't a red blooded stamp dealer who won't be darned glad to give and give plenty, and from what I have seen in hospitals, I can tell you that not hundreds, but thousands of fine young Americans will bless you young Americans will bless you and thank God you remembered

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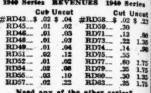
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JOSEPH J. GOLDBERG, Editor 4735 N. Bernard St. Chicago 25, 111. ALGERIA—In 1938 the 20c green type A2 was reissued in bright type A2 was reissued in bright green, precancelled. This stamp has now been surcharged in red "T. O.50" changing its classification to postage due. It is the first postage due stamp issued since 1932.

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ARGENTINE REPUBLIC—Commemoratives. Two stamps for the Fourth Eucharistic Congress were released on October 11.

were released on October 11, 1944. The 5 centavo rose de-picts the Cross erected at Pal-





the Congress of ermo during ermo during the Congress of 1934 when the present Pope, then Cardinal Pacelli, visited Argentina, The 3 centavo yel-low-green pictures Saint Gabriel in flowing robes. A special booth was set up for cancellation of first day covers and 1st day covers have a special can-

cel.

—Elm Stamp Co.
CHINA—Sinkiang—The Thrift
Propaganda souvenir sheet of
1941 has been overprinted in
Chinese "Use limited to Sinkiang Province only." A correspondent in Chungking states the
quantity may be only 3 000. pondent in Chungking states the quantity may be only 3,000. We have seen several of these sheets cancelled in Tihwa with the commemorative chop of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek dated October 10, 1943.

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—Scott Stamp & Coin Co.
COLOMBIA—Commoratives. A set of 2 stamps was issued to mark the 75th anniversary of the Constitution of the Junta General de Beneficenia of Cundina-marca. The 2c stamp is light light



blue and yellow, is appropriately worded and features the Colombian flag. The 5c is also light blue and yellow and features the Arms of Beneficenia.

—N. Y. Sun

COOK ISLANDS—Postage. It is reported that the 1sh, value of the current issue has been re-leased on the "all-over" watermarked paper.

FRANCE-From Daniel Zirinsky has come a 2Fr. Prisoner of War adhesive, portraying a French soldier in a prison camp. Print-ed in brown the adhesive bears the intials "C.G.P.G.R." in the upper left, and the regular in-scription denoting use in the

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printed on the marked paper.

VENEZUELA Air Mail—On October 24th, the Simon Bolivar type air mail set was finally completed with the issuance of the 5 Bolivar brown.

—F. Jacobi

IS KOREAN FLAG WRONG

Continued From Page 1

Make careful drawings and indicate position of the colors in the central design. Let us find out if anyone knows just what is right and proper for this Korean flag. With further reference to this

With further reference to this new stamp, there is a big delay somewhere in its distribution. Rumors from Washington lead to various beliefs and one is that the perforating job was so bad that there is difficulty in picking an ample supply of fine sheets for Agency sales. All the other flag stamps were on sale at the Sidney, Ohio postoffice on the day following their release at Washington and here a week later, the supply has not yet arrived altho long on requisition.

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represents the union of Yang and Yin, with various interpretations as to their exact meaning, we find in three different illustrations of this design, each in colors, that the arrangement of the curlicues is different. Again we would believe that there must be but one right and proper arrangement and we trust that through some of our readers who may have access to more books than we can locate, that it will be possible to find the solution to this problem.

The stamps on the covers have look quite attractive, in fact perhaps the most attractive of the entire thirteen stamps in this

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Have you noticed how crowded we have been with bigger advertising copy, much of it from dealers who have not heretofore used space in our columns. The reason is that word is getting around, from one dealer to another that despite the low subscription price



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For some time past we have been trying to convince some Auction House that if they would use space in this publication for a real auction, that it would be a successful one. We feel certain of this because of the quality of our readers and because we have so many of them. The average auction sale catalog has a limited circulation, few go over 3000 copies, many as low as 2000 copies. A real auction offered through our columns will reach over 17,000 prospective bidders and if real worth while items are offered, the auction dealer will soon build up a list of bidders second to none in the country.

This week, we have the privilege of offering our readers such an auction. Altho the number of lots is comparatively small as auctions go, the material offered has been carefully selected so that a sale is offered, composed of choice items. We urge you who want material of this nature to read this sale which is printed in type of sufficient size to make the reading easy.

In addition to this sale, we are also promised a sale of larger proportions from a New York Dealer. We believe when this other sale comes up that you will be interested in it also. Many of our readers have probably never received regular auction catalogues. Buying at auction is a very simple matter and a profitable matter for you if you are willing to pay a fair price for the stamps you want. Look over this current sale. Watch for the other one that is in the making in the making.

In addition to this big sale, there is a full page of offers of choice stamps on the back page. Without attempting to check prices of other dealers we are impressed with the offers made by Mr. Anderson. We are told that this list is reprinted directly from his regular monthly price lists, yet he goes so far with this advertisement in an effort to make new customers and new contacts, to offer what amounts to a 20 per cent or larger discount on orders of \$1.00 and over. Certainly this is a real opportunity.

Last week, the back page was filled with one of the most splend-id assortments of United States stamps of the type and kind that appeal to all collectors, that we have seen for some time.

Such quantities of choice old plate numbers have seldom been offered. If you overlooked that advertisement dig it up now.

A few weeks ago Philip Burtner of Reading, Pa., used a full page. He had some nice business from that page and again this week he is using a full column to make further offers from his stock. All this big copy is crowding our columns. We feel the pressure and must find a means of handling this business, but we are confident that the average collector will get as much satisfaction out of scanning these advertisements as he would in reading a lot of dry articles about the "Polka Dots" on the stamps of Timbuctoo.

#### WHY DO YOU COLLECT STAMPS?

Mr. Case tells us that the answers to this question as called for in his contest are coming in steadily but lack the punch that prize winning articles should have. There are a few choice prizes being offered. Some real collector who will really analyze himself and his interest in stamps, and the cause for that interest can pick up a very nice prize by giving this subject the serious thought and consideration that it merits. The question sounds like one designed for school boy answers, but there must be some sound and logical reaminds could advance. Try your hand at this problem Read the contest prize offer and see if it is not worth the effort.

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For a long time I have had a small batch of Bi-Centennial faksmall batch of Bi-Centennial fakes. They were made by a young fellow studying for the ministry. He had access to a hand press and traded the things for Columbus old large type bureaus. Good deal wasn't it? Anyway the double line electros were just coming into their own at that time and he thought he might as well fix up a few of these And so he did. Now I don't know whether he had a prophetic vain in him too but it so happened that some of them were NARROWS that is they were much narrower in spacing than anything that had heretofore actually been legally used. Had these occurred six years later we naturally would have thought naturally there was something new in store for us in the Double Line fam-The boy was in a way smart-than he thought, but at the

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## P-C-E-C

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In lining up the lists for the new Year Book, I noticed how few of our members have registered an interest in classes E, F, G and H, which cover the various types and forms of patriotic picture post-cards. cards.

I wonder if we are not ne-glecting a branch of patriotic ma-terial that may more completely and pictorially record the true history of this confilct than a large percentage of the covers we

large percentage of the covers we are exchanging teday.

From time to time I receive postcards from members in the armed services notifying me of changes of address, etc., and many of these are photographic reproductions of various branches of the service in training. Although I never ran across any of these cards in civilian stores, I understand they are sold in the Army P. X. stores at the various camps and cantoments. It might be well for you to make an effort to obtain a representative group of them mailed from the stamps by servicemen collectors.

icemen collectors.

The past year has seen a tremendous increase in the produc-tion of "private patriotics" or to be more trite, the "kitchen printers" have run amuck so that to-day it is safe to estimate that seventy-five percent of the covers seventy-five percent of the covers in circulation are of these inferior types. This is no reflection on the intention of the designers of these covers but the natural result of the limited facilities of the creators of them. Unfortunately, while it is the privilege of the collectors to choose their own form of entertainment, this development has resulted in a serious decline in the quality of the art factor in the patriotic covers of today. today.

I have a hunch that the collec-

tor of the future of patriotic and war material will have a higher regard for the actual photographs of "G. I Joe" in action that he will find on the postcards of this era than the distorted and inferior drawings of him that he will find on the covers of Charlie Kuck-muckus or Sidney Smith. Think it over.

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#### Ken Miller Covers

Congratulations to Cox & Phillips on the nice memorial cover they have issued to honor Cpl. Ken Miller, member #376, the first of our Club to give his life for his country. While we're on the subject, the recent set of covers these boys produced in a multitude of shades of bronze were an outstanding example of what a couple of fellows can do in a cellar for the future decoration of the attic. While it is a fact that Magnus used bronze and gilt to effective advantage in his classic covers of the Civil War period, the old gentleman would have turned over in his grave had he seen the old Congratulations to Cox & Philin his grave had he seen the old scrap cuts of wrist watches and bicycles that these boys used illustrate their themes. It would

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have been far more construc-tive to have economized on the variety of bronze powders used and invested the savings in cuts of more timely and original de-sign. If you can't afford to obtain good cuts of an original or pa-triotic nature, it would be far better to follow the example of Linto who does a good job with-out the use of pictures.

# AIR MAIL COVERS

samuel a goldsticker ir. (Dest Ed., 187 Mr. Prespect Assets Newart 4 N. 1. Martinsburg, West Virginia, dedicated their airport on Saturday, November 4th, with appropriate ceremonies. As is customary with Airport Dedications, the local Chamber of Commerce handled covers for collectors. There were no cachets applied to any of the covers which I have seen thus far, but in the lower-left-hand corner is written in ink "Dedication Of Martinsburg, W. Va. Airport" and signed by the Mayor. Covers are postmarked on November 4th 12-30 PM.

This affair was scheduled to occur on October 28th, but was most likely postponed for a week.

Effective Wednesday, November Ist, Eastern Airlines, Inc., ex-tended their routes AM-5 (New York—San Antonio) and AM-6 (New York—Miami) northward from New York City to Boston. Dispite the fact that both of these routes are identical between New York and Boston; there was no York and Boston; there was no mixup of any kind so far as the dispatching of the covers was concerned, and it is safe to assume that all covers intended for AM-5 (which was the later flight) were held for that flight. There was no cachets or other philatelic markings applied to any of the

covers.
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From: New York Postoffice,
AM-6 Nov. 1, 4-PM AM-5 Nov.

AM-6 Nov. 1, 4-PM AM-5 Nov. 1, 3-PM.
From: New York Airmail Field Nov. 2, 8-AM AM-5 Nov. 2, 8-AM Some AM-5 covers from the New York Postoffice were backstamped at Boston General Delivery Nov. 1 6-PM and backstamped a second time Nov. 2, 8-AM.

There appears to be some type of a mixup here among backstamps, with some covers being backstamped at times earlier than the AMF cancels. This was undoubtably due to the flights being perturbed (or should Leave decided) doubtably due to the flights being postponed (or should I say delayed) since Nov. 1st was a very foggy day in this area and most of the morning flights were unquestionably cancelled.

Within a couple of weeks, I hope to have the full information about this flight, cancellations, pilots, quantities of covers, etc.

Huntsville, Alabama, was added to AM-55 on Sunday, November 5th. Full details next week.

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